



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

Katsuhiro TAKUSHIMA

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For: CLEANING METHOD, PARTICLE REMOVING METHOD, CLEANING
APPARATUS, AND CLEANING LIQUID

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)
AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

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Sir:

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